

Funding, COE Section 10 and 404 Permits and US Coast Guard Bridge Permit Issuance, Burnswick and New Hanover Counties, NC.

*Summary:* EPA had environmental objections or concerns with all four alternatives evaluated in detail. Alternatives 2 and 3 have greater wetlands impact and occupy Red-cockaded woodpecker forage areas. All alternatives would impact adversely a minority/low-income community at the interchange with US 17. EPA requested additional mitigation for secondary impacts and wetland losses.

*ERP No. D-FHW-E40772-AL* Rating EC2, Industrial Parkway Connector Project, Transportation Improvement, from Lott Road (AL-217) to US 45, Funding, COE Section 404 Permit and NPDES Permit, Mobile County, AL.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns that wetlands and forested areas be avoided. Details on wetland mitigation are needed in final EIS.

*ERP No. D-FHW-L40202-WA* Rating EO2, I-5 Toutle Park Road to Maytown, Transportation Improvements, Funding, COE Section 404 Permit, US Coast Guard and NPDES Permits, Cowlitz, Lewis and Thurston Counties, WA.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental objection related to the structuring of the draft EIS as a project-specific document. Based on EPA's early participation in the development of the project tiered documents would be used in support of specific projects as they come on-line. EPA does not believe the present document provides sufficient information to adequately disclose the potentially significant impacts from the project and serve as the sole NEPA documentation for the entire 42.5 mile project. EPA believed that additional information and technical analyses related to alternatives, wetlands, avoidance/impacts/mitigation, floodplain impacts, surface and groundwater impacts, and indirect/secondary/cumulative effects are needed.

*ERP No. D-NPS-L65277-WA* Rating LO, Lake Crescent Management Plan, Implementation, Olympic National Park, WA.

*Summary:* Our abbreviated review has revealed no EPA concerns on this project.

*ERP No. DS-FHW-E40758-NC* Rating EO2, Wilmington Bypass Transportation Improvement Program, Updated Information, Construction from I-40 to US 421, Funding, NPDES and U.S. Coast Guard, and COE Section 10 and 404 Permits, New Hanover County, NC.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental objections to the

Southern Alternative because it would impact more wetlands, relocate more than twice as many residents, and has more noise impacts. However, EPA also recognizes the Center Alternative may have greater impact to low income and minority communities. The Document also is deficient in providing wetlands mitigation.

#### Final EISs

*ERP No. F-AFS-E61037-TN* Upper Ocoee River Corridor Land and Water-Based Recreational Development, Implementation, Cherokee National Forest, Ocoee Ranger District, Polk County, TN.

*Summary:* EPA expressed environmental concerns with increased traffic and its potential impacts.

*ERP No. F-NPS-C61009-NY* Manhattan Sites General Management Plans, Implementation, Castle Clinton National Monument, Federal Hall National Memorial, General Grant National Memorial, Saint Paul's Church National Historic Site and Theodore Roosevelt Birthplace National Historic Site, New York and Westchester Counties, NY.

*Summary:* EPA determine that it had no objections to the proposed project.

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#### Environmental Impact Statements; Notice of Availability

Responsible Agency: Office of Federal Activities, General Information (202) 564-7167 OR (202) 564-7153.

Weekly receipt of Environmental Impact Statements Filed April 21, 1997 Through April 25, 1997 Pursuant to 40 CFR 1506.9.

*EIS No. 970152,* Draft EIS, AFS, CA, Canyons Project, Implementation, Truckee Ranger District, Tahoe National Forest, Sierra and Nevada Counties, CA, *Due:* June 23, 1997, *Contact:* Caryn Hunter (916) 587-3558.

*EIS No. 970153,* Final EIS, GSA, MD, U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Consolidation of the following: Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER), Center for Devices and Radiological Health (CDRH),

Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research (CBER) and Office of Commissioner (OC), Site Selection, White Oak Naval Surface Weapons Center, Montgomery, MD, *Due:* June 09, 1997, *Contact:* Jag Bhargava (202) 708-7248.

*EIS No. 970154,* Draft EIS, AFS, MT, Poorman Project, Implementation, Harvesting and Road Construction, Helena National Forest, Lincoln Ranger District, Lewis and Clark County, MT, *Due:* June 23, 1997, *Contact:* Thomas J. Andersen (406) 449-5201.

*EIS No. 970155,* Draft EIS, AFS, CA, Damon Fire Salvage and Restoration Project, Implementation, Modoc National Forest, Modoc County, CA, *Due:* June 23, 1997, *Contact:* Paul Bailey (916) 233-5811.

*EIS No. 970156,* Draft EIS, NRCS, OK, Middle Deep Red Run Creek Watershed Plan, Implementation, Funding and Possible COE Section 404 Permit, Central Rolling Red Plains, Tillman, Comanche and Kiowa Counties, OK, *Due:* June 23, 1997, *Contact:* Ronnie L. Clark (405) 742-1200.

*EIS No. 970157,* Final EIS, AFS, NV, Griffon Mining Project, Implementation, Issuance Plan of Operations Approval, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forests, Ely Ranger District, White Pine County, NV, *Due:* June 09, 1997, *Contact:* David Valenzaela (702) 289-3031.

*EIS No. 970158,* Final EIS, FTA, TX, North Central Corridor Light Rail Transit (LRT) Extension, Transportation Improvements, Funding, NPDES Permit and COE Section 404 Permit, Dallas and Collin Counties, TX, *Due:* June 09, 1997, *Contact:* Jesse Balleza (817) 860-9663.

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#### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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#### Common Sense Initiative Council (CSIC)

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notification of public advisory csic printing, metal finishing, and computers and electronics sector subcommittee open meetings.